

#### SUBMISSIONS

- Artists must be 18 years of age or older.
- All pieces must be conceptual art of artist's original design and executed solely by the artist.
- Artist must predominantly use knitting or crochet techniques. There is no limitation on type of materials used.
- Artist may submit 4 pieces of art per entry fee.
- Artwork must not have been exhibited at Textile Center previously.
- Artwork must have been completed after January 1, 2008.

#### AWARDS

Awards will be presented for Best of Show, Juror's Choice and Most Innovative Use of Materials & Technique.

#### JURYING

Juror: Adrienne Sloane & Karen Searle  
Jurors will review entries/images, make exhibition selections and designate awards.

#### EXHIBITION & SALES

- All accepted artwork must remain in the Gallery for the duration of the exhibition.
- All accepted artwork must be for sale. Textile Center retains 40 percent (%) commission on all sales made directly from the exhibition.

#### INSURANCE & SHIPPING

- Insurance for artwork is the responsibility of the artist. While reasonable care is taken when handling artwork, Textile Center does not assume any responsibility for loss or damage.
- All costs associated with shipping artwork to and from Textile Center (including transit insurance) is the financial responsibility of the artist.

#### IMAGES

- High quality or professional images required
- Images must be submitted on CD. CD should be labeled with artist's name.
- Images must be at minimum size of 1000 pixels by 1000 pixels – jpg format required
- Maximum 3 images per piece (2 full view, 1 detail)
- Images must be labeled by TITLE of piece Images will become the property of Textile Center and will not be returned
- Please test your CD to make sure it is readable
- Slides, color prints or snapshots will NOT be accepted. Electronic submissions cannot be accepted.

#### SCHEDULE

- Deadline for entries: August 17, 2009  
*(Note this is not a postmark date)*
- Notification letters to all entrants will be mailed by October 2, 2009
- Accepted artwork must be received by February 26, 2010
- Exhibition dates March 5 - April 17, 2010

#### APPLICATION CHECKLIST

- Entry Fee  
\$30.00 per artist, payable in US funds by check or money order or charged to credit card
- Artist Statement  
Required; 100 words or fewer per entry, relating to concept of artwork submitted
- CD with Images (see requirements)
- Completed Entry Form

*Incomplete entries will not be considered.*

*Electronic submissions cannot be accepted.*

*Additional information about image specifications can be found on our website at:  
[www.textilecentermn.org/submissions.asp](http://www.textilecentermn.org/submissions.asp)*

#### MAIL TO

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#### FOR MORE INFORMATION

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**Deadline August 17, 2009**

Image on front cover: *Truth to Power, detail* by Adrienne Sloane



# Textile Center

A national center for fiber art

## CALL FOR ENTRY

### Metaphoric Fibers: Untamed Knitting & Crochet



*The artwork for this exhibit will be a fiber abstraction of the artist's alternative perception of an everyday reality.*

#### Jurors: Adrienne Sloane & Karen Searle

Adrienne Sloane, hand and machine knitter from Boston, MA, has exhibited nationally for over 20 years. Her work has been published in national fiber magazines & profiled in *Knitting Art: 150 Innovative Works from 18 Contemporary Artists*.

Karen Searle, fiber artist from St. Paul, MN, exhibits and teaches internationally. She is the author of *Knitting Art: 150 Innovative works by Contemporary Artists* (Voyageur Press, 2008).

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Entries due: August 17, 2009

# METAPHORIC FIBERS

March 5 - April 17, 2010

## ARTIST INFORMATION:

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_

STATE /ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

JURY FEE: \$30

Check enclosed

Please charge my Visa/Mastercard

CARD NO: \_\_\_\_\_

EXP \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_

*If accepted, I give permission to Textile Center to take or reproduce images of my work for publicity and/or promotion.*

SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

TEXTILE CENTER USE:

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REC'D DATE	
FEE PAID \$	
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## ENTRY #1

TITLE: \_\_\_\_\_ INSURANCE VALUE \$ \_\_\_\_\_

RETAIL PRICE \$ \_\_\_\_\_

YEAR CREATED: \_\_\_\_\_ DIMENSIONS: L \_\_\_\_\_ W \_\_\_\_\_ H \_\_\_\_\_

MATERIALS: \_\_\_\_\_

TECHNIQUE: \_\_\_\_\_

## ENTRY #2

TITLE: \_\_\_\_\_ INSURANCE VALUE \$ \_\_\_\_\_

RETAIL PRICE \$ \_\_\_\_\_

YEAR CREATED: \_\_\_\_\_ DIMENSIONS: L \_\_\_\_\_ W \_\_\_\_\_ H \_\_\_\_\_

MATERIALS: \_\_\_\_\_

TECHNIQUE: \_\_\_\_\_

## ENTRY #3

TITLE: \_\_\_\_\_ INSURANCE VALUE \$ \_\_\_\_\_

RETAIL PRICE \$ \_\_\_\_\_

YEAR CREATED: \_\_\_\_\_ DIMENSIONS: L \_\_\_\_\_ W \_\_\_\_\_ H \_\_\_\_\_

MATERIALS: \_\_\_\_\_

TECHNIQUE: \_\_\_\_\_

## ENTRY #4

TITLE: \_\_\_\_\_ INSURANCE VALUE \$ \_\_\_\_\_

RETAIL PRICE \$ \_\_\_\_\_

YEAR CREATED: \_\_\_\_\_ DIMENSIONS: L \_\_\_\_\_ W \_\_\_\_\_ H \_\_\_\_\_

MATERIALS: \_\_\_\_\_

TECHNIQUE: \_\_\_\_\_

TEXTILE CENTER USE

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	<input type="radio"/> OTHER _____
DATE RETURNED: _____	